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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

TADASHI IGUCHI ET AL.

Application No.: 10/612,033

Filed: July 3, 2003

For: SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY) Confirmation No.: 5852
PREVENTING AN ELECTRIC)
SHORT CIRCUIT BETWEEN A)
WORD LINE AND A)
SEMICONDUCTOR)
SUBSTRATE, AND)
MANUFACTURING METHOD)
FOR THE SEMICONDUCTOR)
MEMORY (As Amended))

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Sir:

REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant is in receipt of the Notice of Allowance and attached Notice of Allowability dated May 17, 2010.

Applicant filed an Information Disclosure Statement ("IDS") and Form PTO/SB/08 ("Form") on May 5, 2005, along with copies of the foreign and non-patent literature documents listed on the Form. To date, the Examiner has not acknowledged the IDS and Form indicating the documents listed therein were considered. A copy of the IDS, Form, and postcard stamped by the Patent Office indicating receipt thereof is enclosed.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the IDS and Form and return to Applicant indicating consideration of the listed documents.

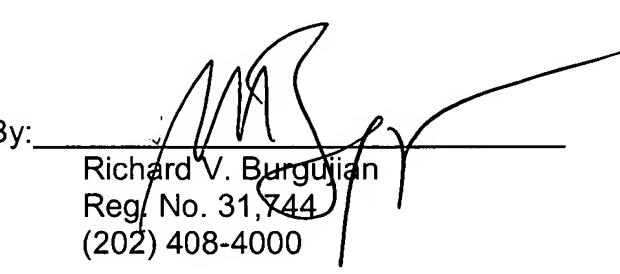
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PLEASE STAMP TO ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THE FOLLOWING:

In Re Application of: Tadashi IGUCHI et al.

Application No.: 10/612,033

Group Art Unit: 2826

Filed: July 3, 2003

Examiner: Quinto, Kevin V.

For: SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY PREVENTING AN ELECTRIC SHORT CIRCUIT
BETWEEN A WORD LINE AND A SEMICONDUCTOR SUBSTRATE, AND
MANUFACTURING METHOD FOR THE SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY (As
Amended)

1. Amendment (11 pages)
2. Information Disclosure Statement (3 pages)
3. IDS Form PTO/SB/08 (1 page)
4. 1 cited document
5. Notification of Reasons for Refusal dated February 8, 2005, and the English translation thereof

Dated May 5, 2005

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